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## **ELECTION**

Sir:

This is in response to the United States Patent and Trademark Restriction Office Action mailed February 21, 2007, which response is being made on or before March 21, 2007, and for which no extension of time fees are due.

Applicants hereby elect **Group V**, namely Claims 30-37, drawn to a compound having formula (I) according to claim 30.

Applicants reserve the right to file, at a later date, additional divisional applications claiming priority from the present application which are directed to the non-elected Group.

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